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TWO LARGE MEETINGS.

SILVERITES ARE MAKING THE LAST WEEK A HOT ONE.

Grand Opera House Occupied on Tuesday and Wednesday Nights—Speeches by George A. Edwards, D. J. McCarthy, John M. Garman and Matthew Long.

The Bryan men of Freeland and vicinity held two successful rallies here this week, and though both were gotten up without much notice the Grand opera house was occupied by enthusiastic audiences on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings. Last night's meeting was by far the larger of the two, as John M. Garman, candidate for congress, was advertised to speak, and the popularity of the nominee on the North Side was well shown by the number who went to hear him.

James F. Sweeney presided at the meeting, and his introductory remarks were well received. He was followed by Mr. Garman, who received quite an ovation as he stepped before the audience. The speaker got into his subject at the very outset of his address, and for more than an hour he ably presented the side of the issue represented by Mr. Bryan, himself and the other Democratic candidates.

He told of how the two national tickets had been placed in the field, how McKinley's nomination was a foregone conclusion long before the Republicans met, and how Bryan sprung up as a presidential possibility without the aid of trusts, syndicates or money influence.

The scheming and manipulating of Platt and Quay, and their success in committing their party to the gold standard, by having the silver plank of the platform ambiguously worded, was also told, and of how Whitney, Flower and other Democrats tried the same schemes at Chicago and how they were turned down by an overwhelming vote.

After his entertaining explanation of how both candidates and both platforms came before the public, Mr. Garman took up each section of the Democratic document and carefully analyzed, explained and defended it paragraph by paragraph. He showed that there exists a strong reason for incorporating into our national laws every reform and every demand made by the Democrats.

His defense of the proposition to have free and unlimited coinage of gold and silver was an able one. He showed who and how that would benefit and who it would hurt. Likewise he proved the justice of an income tax, of the protest against government by injunction, of the criticism of the supreme court, and of the demands of Democracy that struggles between corporations and their employes, when communities are interested or affected by such strife, shall be settled by arbitration.

He eloquently explained why it is that the monied men who heretofore affiliated with the Democratic party have left this year in a body and gone over, with very few exceptions, as one man to the Republicans. He pointed out the planks of the platform which touched the sore spots of these ex-leaders, and was thankful that the party is at last rid of every vestige of corruption that existed in the ranks.

The speaker paid a tribute to the sacrifices made by the Populist and Free Silver parties in endorsing Mr. Bryan, and told the audience that the principles which the Democratic candidates represent must be of supreme importance when great independent political organizations are willing to sink their identity and join hands with former opponents.

Coming nearer home, the speaker referred briefly to the charges which have been circulated against him by a Hazleton paper. It has been alleged that his connection with many secret and fraternal organizations, notably the P. O. S. of A., the Odd Fellows, Masons, Knights of Pythias and others was for political effect, and that he was also a member of the A. O. H. and a Polish Catholic society.

Mr. Garman proved to the satisfaction of the audience that the stories circulated were intended solely to bring him into disfavor with people who do not approve of secret societies, and that the allegations that he is a member of the two last-named organizations were for a somewhat similar purpose.

The address throughout was interspersed with several of the speaker's anecdotes and illustrations, and before concluding he paid his respects to the corporations who gratuitously furnished transportation to the thousands who were then parading in Wilkesbarre, and asked the voters why it was that railroads, operators and the like were so eager for the success of his opponent. He concluded with much applause by counseling all who thought he would do right to vote for him and all who thought the other man would serve them better to vote against him.

Matthew Long, candidate for the legislature, was next introduced and was warmly welcomed. He spoke at length upon the national issues, and his remarks were given strict attention. He also touched upon the new county plank of his platform, which is one of

his opponent's planks as well, and stated that he honestly believed a new county would be a benefit to every citizen in the district. Mr. Long pledged himself to work and vote, if elected, for every measure that may come before the legislature which may be of any benefit to the laboring people.

D. J. McCarthy was the last speaker, and though the hour was growing late when he began he held the crowd until the meeting adjourned. He briefly reviewed the county ticket, from top to bottom, showing the merits of each candidate, excepting himself, and made an earnest and eloquent plea for the election of all. Later on he referred to the main question of the campaign, and the Democrats have no reason to fear criticism of the last speech made. The speaker simply outdid himself, and applause after applause greeted his remarkable eloquence. Prominent Republicans in the audience vied with Democrats in showing their appreciation of Mr. McCarthy's address.

Tuesday Evening's Meeting.

Only a few hours were given on Tuesday to advertise the meeting that evening, but this was sufficient to draw over 300 voters to the hall. The audience was addressed by Hugh Malloy, chairman, George A. Edwards, of Wilkesbarre, and D. J. McCarthy, candidate for senator. Mr. Malloy spoke briefly, but to the point. He was followed by Mr. Edwards, who made a hit here earlier in the campaign. The arguments of this convert from Republicanism are increasing in strength as election day draws closer, and his sincerity and earnestness in espousing the cause of the new Democracy compel even those who differ with him to respect him.

The senatorial candidate made his first appearance here since his nomination, and was accorded a royal greeting by his neighbors. It is a fact almost unnecessary to mention that Mr. McCarthy can make a good speech on almost any question, and on Tuesday evening he fulfilled all expectations. From an educational point of view it is doubtful if the money problem has been anywhere presented in a more concise and clear-cut style, and was not a voter in the hall who did not leave without having learned something new on the issue. His remarks throughout were temperate, and no effort was made to arouse partisanship or passion. The strong points of his address were illustrated with local object lessons, and Republicans and Democrats were given more than a few questions to think of between now and election day. The address was undoubtedly the best delivered here.

Luther League Convention.

The fifth semi-annual convention of the Upper Lehigh Valley Luther League opened on Tuesday morning at the Trinity Evangelical Lutheran church, West Hazleton. Rev. Ritter, pastor of the church, delivered the address of welcome. Rev. Schlenker, president of the Central League, submitted his report. It showed that there are 8 state leagues, 294 locals, 19 central. The league of the Upper Lehigh district is tenth in size with 13 locals. All the leagues have grown in activity all over the country during the past six months.

Miss Minnie Spangler read a well prepared essay on "The Luther League and the Bible," followed with an opening address on the same subject by Rev. Hemsath, of Conyngham. This was followed by a general discussion. Rev. W. U. Uhter had for a subject, "Does the Luther League Fill a Long Felt Want in Our Church?" There was a general discussion on this subject which closed the session.

The evening exercises were held in the church and were largely attended. The next meeting will be held at Lehighton in April, 1897.

The following Freeland people took part in the convention: Rev. J. J. Kuntz, William Ripple, Stella Kemp, Otto Bach, Mary Schmidt and Leopold Holland.

Appointed to a Clerkship.

The directors of the Hazleton National bank met on Tuesday and filled the vacant clerkship created by the resignation of William Deisroth and the promotion of Howard Smith. Out of the number of the number of applications William F. Hayes, formerly in the employ of King & Co., was selected. Mr. Hayes is a young man of more than ordinary ability, good habits and is a thorough accountant.

Full Returns in the "Tribune."

The TRIBUNE, as in former years, will furnish its readers next Thursday with complete returns of the great election to be held on November 3. Our tables have been noted for their accuracy and completeness in the past, and the arrangement of the results by districts, county, state and nation will, we expect, be up to high standard heretofore maintained. Let the results be what they may, the TRIBUNE will print them correct and complete.

There is nothing cheap about the Wear Well footwear except the price. It can't be lower. Try their shoes.

Watch the date on your paper.

Arguing for a New Trial.

The Zemitis case came up again in court this week. Anthony Zemitis is in jail under sentence of death for the murder of Andrew Yeasley in the Blackman mines, and Attorney James L. Lenahan has argued for a new trial. The reasons are of a sensational character. Yeasley, the murdered man, was buried in a Slavish cemetery, near Plymouth, without any post-mortem being held. About six months afterward, shortly before the trial, police went to the cemetery and exhumed what they thought to be Yeasley's body, but were surprised to find there instead the body of a woman.

A second grave adjoining was also opened, but that did not contain the body wanted, and the party was about to abandon the search when a foreigner, who was fixing a grave nearby, inquired the object of their search and conducted them to Yeasley's grave. The third grave was opened and the undertaker at once identified the body as being Yeasley from the clothes.

The body was lifted from the grave, the top of the skull removed and a bullet found. Attorney Lenahan claimed he had recently learned of the above and believes that it was of sufficient importance to be shown to the jury, as the uncertainty of opening three graves throws a serious doubt upon the last body being that of Yeasley's.

Its Mission Is to Make Laughter.

Wilkesbarre Newsdealer, October 27, 1896.
The "Sporting Craze," a musical comedy, opened a three nights engagement at Music Hall last evening. The mission of this play is to make people laugh and well they succeeded in their undertaking last evening, as the audience did not cease laughing during the progress of the entire performance and a better pleased audience never left at the conclusion of a performance. The specialties are the principal features and the singing and dancing are above the average. In the company is George H. Adams, the clown, who has made thousands laugh from one end of the continent to the other while with Hanlon's "Fantasma." He is assisted by his accomplished daughters, Misses Tonina and Lillie, and they are the possessors of pleasing voices and very graceful dances.

The German specialties of Carlin and Clark are by far the best ever seen in this city. Frank Farley is very clever. He possesses lightning like rapidity and at punching the bag he has no equal. There is also Miss Emma DeCastor, a pleasing winsome little lady, who captivated the audience with her singing and dancing. William Cortwright made a pronounced hit in the character of Josh Reuben. All in all it is one of the funniest comedies seen at Music Hall this season.

At Freeland November 5.

A Remarkable Feat.

In view of the great interest in the outcome of the election next Tuesday, November 3, the Philadelphia Press has made preparations for the collection of the returns which far surpass any previous attempts in this direction. In addition to the reports of the press association of which it is a member, the Press will station staff correspondents at central points in all the doubtful states. This will enable the Press to give its readers on Wednesday morning, November 4, absolutely accurate returns from all parts of the country. It will be a remarkable undertaking, and the Press is deserving of great credit.

BRIEF ITEMS.

John Lawrence, aged 72, pleaded guilty in Worcester, Mass., to theft, to forger and to having impersonated a priest.

Mrs. Eunice Russ Davis, the oldest female abolitionist living, celebrated her ninety-sixth birthday in Dedham, Mass.

Sir Frank Lockwood has been retained to assist Sir Edward Clarke in the defense of the Castles, charged with shoplifting in London.

The ushers at St. Patrick's church, Elizabethport, N. J., went on a strike Sunday, and the congregation was seated with difficulty.

A thief entered the house of the Sisters of St. Joseph, in Classon avenue, Brooklyn, but found an invalid sister told him he was in a convent.

Henry W. Cornell, a son of ex-Governor Cornell, was arrested in New York on the deposition of a Buffalo hotel proprietor, who says that Cornell gave him two drafts that were returned dishonored.

The Albany police law was declared by the court of appeals of New York state to be unconstitutional.

Nicholas Dorsch was killed by the bursting of a grindstone at which he was working in a Newark (N. J.) factory.

Four masked bandits raided the Saco and Fox Indian agency in Oklahoma, robbed three stores of \$620, but failed to get \$40,000 agency cash.

Minstrel Raymond Shaw was shot and probably fatally wounded while showing his sister-in-law, Miss Birdsall of Bloomfield, N. J., how to handle a revolver.

Alexander M. Harris of the firm of Kahn & Harris, New York, committed suicide by shooting himself in the head in his factory, 149 and 151 Greene street.

An autopsy was performed on the body of Mrs. Frances K. Postel, wife of Albert H. Postel, in Providence, and evidences of poison are alleged to have been found.

The engagement of Captain William Abrams, a great-grandfather of 80, worth \$500,000, and Miss Laura Smith, the village schoolteacher at East Rockaway, N. Y., was announced.

Dr. Warren W. Palmer and his granddaughter, Fannie Palmer, were killed by a railroad train while driving at Keansburg, N. J., and Deborah Palmer, the doctor's daughter, and William E. Hahn were seriously hurt.

Old newspapers for sale.

BRIEF ITEMS OF NEWS.

PARAGRAPHS GATHERED FROM ALL PARTS OF THE REGION.

Synopsis of Local and Miscellaneous Occurrences That Can Be Read Quickly. What the Folks of This and Other Towns are Doing.

TRIBUTE advertisers will have the benefit of a special edition of 3,000 extra copies this week.

Fall styles in dry goods at Oswald's. "The Sporting Craze" has been secured by Manager Welsh as the next attraction. It appears here next Thursday evening.

R. & G. corsets are sold at Oswald's. John A. Zehner, M. G. Peters and J. R. Berry have been appointed as viewers for a proposed new bridge in Foster township.

Bed room suites, \$16, at Sweeney & Herron's, Hazleton.

Battista Yannes and Filomena Zambotti, both of Freeland, will be married on Saturday by the Italian priest of Hazleton.

Lowest prices on furniture at Sweeney & Herron's, Hazleton.

Remember that a grand masquerade ball will be held tomorrow evening at Krause's hall, South Heberton. The admission is only 25 cents.

Neat footwear for ladies is sold very cheap at the Wear Well.

Matlewicz Apemowicz and Marciola Maksimowicz, of town, will be married on November 3, by Rev. Father Delnikaitis, of St. Kasimer's church, Ridge street.

Room moulding, 1¢ per foot, at Sweeney & Herron's, Hazleton.

Samuel Cumfer, the motorman who was injured in the trolley wreck at Hazleton Junction two weeks ago, has resumed his duties, he having entirely recovered.

Wall paper, 7¢ per double roll, at Sweeney & Herron's, Hazleton.

The ball of the Fearnots Athletic Association will be held at the Cross Creek hall, Drifton, on Monday evening. It is supposed that none of the colliers will work the following day, and this will make it a large ball.

For best clothing at lowest prices call at the Philadelphia Clothing Store, 131 Centre street, Freeland.

The funeral of Miss Ella Sweeney, the victim of the accident on the Jersey Central Railroad last Saturday, took place from Drifton on Tuesday morning and was one of the largest that has left the town for some years.

\$4.50 in silver or gold will buy a suit worth \$7 at the Philadelphia Clothing Store, 131 Centre street.

The silver anniversary of Harri Gurra Lodge, No. 246, will be celebrated at Krause's hotel, South Heberton, on Saturday evening. The lodge was organized twenty-five years ago, and the members propose to make this year's celebration a notable one.

For bed bugs, roaches and moths, buy "Febvion," the best insect destroyer in the world. Sold at A. Oswald's.

The annual institute of the county teachers opened at Wilkesbarre on Monday, about 650 teachers being present. They were welcomed to the city by Mayor Nichols, and then listened to addresses by Professor Winthrop, of Boston, and Miss Coffin, of Detroit.

On Sunday next at St. Paul's P. M. church Rev. T. Bache, of Nanticoke, president of the Primitive Methodist Conference of Pennsylvania, will preach at 10.30 a. m. All are invited to hear this eminent divine. A collection for the missionary cause will be taken up at this service.

Four carloads of Republicans, with a sprinkling of Democrats, left here last evening for Wilkesbarre, where some of them participated in a parade. The Mayberry band supplied the music. Transportation to and from the county seat was free. The train went via Penn Haven, and did not return until early this morning.

Tony Farrell and his company gave satisfaction to a large audience at the Grand opera house on Monday evening. "Garry Owen" gives Mr. Farrell many opportunities to display his talents, and with a sympathetic audience, such as was present, he gave an entertainment which can be relied upon to please the opera-goers of Freeland every time.

Auction Sale Tonight.

Tonight at 7 p. m. an auction sale will begin at Smith's clothing store, Birkbeck brick, Freeland, and continue every evening until all the goods are sold. The entire stock of clothing, boots, shoes, hats, caps, neckwear, underwear and gents' furnishing goods will be sold, each article separately to the highest bidder, regardless of price and cost. Everybody is invited to secure some of the great bargains. Fred Kaditz has been engaged as auctioneer.

PLEASURE CALENDAR.

October 30.—Masquerade ball at Krause's hotel, South Heberton. Tickets 25 cents.

November 2.—Ball of the Fearnots Athletic Association at Cross Creek hall. Admission, 50 cents.

November 25.—Sixth annual ball of Jeddo Progressive club at Yannes' opera house. Admission, 50 cents.

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